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Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
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RESERVE FUND, \$4,000,000
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For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.
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Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, September 4, 1888. 363

NOTICE.

THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on the premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 2 1/2 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked *On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business* is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, September 1, 1888. 754

Intimations.

NOTICE.

JEY'S SANITARY COMPOUNDS COMPANY, LIMITED.
THE Undersigned have This Day been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the Sale of these PERFECT DISINFECTANTS, and are prepared to supply quantities to suit Purchasers, at Wholesale Prices. Extra special terms for Shipping and large orders.
W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co.,
Bank Buildings.
Hongkong, October 1, 1888. 1602

COLLEGE OF MEDICINE FOR CHINESE.

RESIDENTS in the Colony would be materially assisted by the COLLEGE by forwarding to the ALMA MATER HOSPITAL.
(1) Glass Jars (for museum purposes).
(2) Illustrated Papers and Books for the Student's Reading Room and Library.
Address to
JAMES CANTLIE,
Hon. Sec. to the College.
Hongkong, August 7, 1888. 1373

Intimations.



NOTICE.

(KNOWN RENTS for the Half Year ending 25th December, 1888, should be PAID into the TREASURY on or before the 15th JANUARY NEXT.

H. E. WODEHOUSE,
Acting Treasurer.

TREASURY,
Hongkong, December 22, 1888. 2191

BANK HOLIDAY.

IN accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875 the Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on TUESDAY NEXT, the 1st January.

For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China.'
JOHN THURBURN,
Manager, Hongkong.

For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China.'
T. H. WHITEHEAD,
Manager, Hongkong.

For the 'Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.'
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

For the 'Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris.'
CHANDRY INCHBALD,
Agent, Hongkong.

For the New 'Oriental Bank Corporation, Limited.'
E. W. RUTTER,
Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, December 23, 1888. 2209

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

IN accordance with Section 12 of the Articles of Association, the General Agents, with Approval of the Consulting Committee, will on the 1st January, 1889, INTEREST WALKS OF \$5 PER SHARE, PAYABLE at the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, the same being at the Rate of 10 per cent. per annum on the Paid-up Capital of the Office for the year 1888, and Notice is hereby given that in Order that the same may be adjusted the Transfer BOOKS of the Office will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 31st Instant, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents.
CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.
Hongkong, December 17, 1888. 2135

HONGKONG HORTICULTURAL EXHIBITION SOCIETY.

THE 16th EXHIBITION will be held on the 14th and 15th of FEBRUARY NEXT.

Schedules of Prizes and Rules to be obtained from
CHARLES FORD,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, December 27, 1888. 2199

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Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers,
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NAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.

VOLUNTARIES' CELEBRATED BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES.

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A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 742

THE HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

TIME TABLE.
(To take effect from 1st November.)

WEEK DAYS.
The CARS RUN as follows between St. JOHN'S PLACE and VICTORIA GAP:—
8 to 10 a.m. every quarter of an hour.
12 p.m. " " " " "
3 " 7 " " " " " "

THURSDAYS.
NIGHT TRAM at 10.45 and 11 p.m.

SUNDAYS.
CHURCH TRAM at 10.40 a.m.
12 1/2 to 3 p.m. every half hour.
3 " 7 " " " " " "

SPECIAL CARS may be obtained on application.

Single Tickets are sold in the Cars; Five-Cent Coupons and Reduced Tickets at the Office of
MACLEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.,
General Managers.
VICTORIA EXCHANGE,
50 & 52, Queen's Road, Hongkong, November 6, 1888. 1833

DENTISTRY.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP. MODERATE FEES.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG,
Surgeon Dentist.

(FORMERLY ATTENDED APPRENTICE AND LATERLY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROGERS.)
AT the urgent request of his European and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. ROGERS.
No. 2, DUDDELL STREET.

CONSULTATION FREE.
Discount to missionaries and families.
Sole Address.
2, DUDDELL STREET.
(Next to the New Oriental Bank.)
Hongkong, January 13, 1889. 66

Business Notices.



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SEASONABLE GOODS.

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GLOVES for Morning and Evening Wear.

REGULATION TANNED MILITARY GLOVES.

FOOTBALL and TENNIS JERSEYS.

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TRAVELLING RUGS and SHAWLS.

TWEED DRESSING GOWNS.

BLANKETS and EIDER-DOWN QUILTS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, December 24, 1888. 2183

NEW GOODS.

TAIL SILK HATS.
DIAZ FELT HATS.
BLACK, BROWN, DRAB and GREY HARD FELT HATS.
TERRA and other SOFT FELT. TWEED HATS and CARS in new shapes.

STRAW and FINE HATS.
SILK UNDERWEAR, from \$5, over 10 to choose from.
WALKING STICKS, a very large assortment.
WATERPROOF COATS, LEOPARDS and CHAIN APONS.
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FINES Black DIAGONAL and CORSEW for Dress Suits.
Black, Blue and Brown Fancy and Check DIAGONAL COATINGS.
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TROUSERS, in a great variety of Stripes, Checks, &c.
CHECKING FLANNELS, in Checks, Stripes and Plain.
French Printed SHIRTINGS.
Unshrinkable FINEST SHIRTINGS.
Winter, Medium and Summer UNDER VESTS and PANTS.
READY-MADE ULSTERS IN STOCK.

Solid LEATHER PORTMANTRAGS.
OVERLAND TRUNKS, GLASS-STONE BAGS, and a variety of TRAVELLING CASES, all sizes.
SILK & HOSE, Black, Navy and Colours.
Lamb's Wool, Merino and Little Thread & HOSE.
White Dress SHIRTS.
Lacing & E. S. BOOTS and SHOES.
SHOOTING BOOTS, RUBBER BOOTS.
Patent Leather Boots and SHOES.
DANCING POMP, all sizes.
Large Stock of SCARFS, TIES, HANDBOSHIERS, BLAUSES.

ROBT. LANG & Co.
Hongkong, February 21, 1889. 285

Victoria Hotel,
Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner.

The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, Reading, BILLIARD and Smoking Rooms.

The HOTEL is unsuited for comfort, convenience and quick service.

Confidential languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE,
Proprietors.
Hongkong, September 16, 1888. 1612

W. POWELL & Co.
EX STEAMSHIP PESHAWUR.

FURTHER SUPPLIES OF
NEW GOODS,

SUITABLE FOR
Christmas Presents.

W. POWELL & Co.
VICTORIA EXCHANGE, December 17, 1888. 2133

Intimations.

NOTICE.

A SECRETARY is WANTED for the HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Applications to be addressed to the CHAIRMAN, on an early date.
Hongkong, December 20, 1888. 2150

THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st to the 31st Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Directors,
H. SHEPPARD,
Secretary.
Hongkong, December 19, 1888. 2146

THE KOWLOON HOTEL.

SITUATED ON GARDEN LOT, No. 55, ROBINSON ROAD, KOWLOON, five minutes' walk from the landing.

WINE and SPIRITS of the best quality only kept.

Arrangements have been made with the Proprietor of the steam-launch Morning Star to run Special Night Trips, last boat leaving Kowloon at Midnight.
Fares 10 Cents each way.
J. C. L. ROUGH,
Manager.
Hongkong, December 8, 1888. 2068

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the Head Office, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Under-Engineer is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES,
Secretary.
Hongkong, August 26, 1888. 1453

Intimations.

NOTICE.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 19th December to the 1st of January, both days inclusive.

F. W. CROSS,
Manager.
Hongkong, December 18, 1888. 2130

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA, LIMITED.

BEG to announce to the Medical profession, and to the European and Chinese Community of Hongkong, that the

DISPENSING DEPARTMENT of THEIR BUSINESS is NOW OPEN.

THIS DEPARTMENT, being considered of the FIRST IMPORTANCE, is entirely under the control of fully qualified and experienced EUROPEAN ASSISTANTS.

THE DRUGS used in preparing prescriptions are of the BEST and PUREST QUALITY obtainable.

THE ENTIRE STOCK of

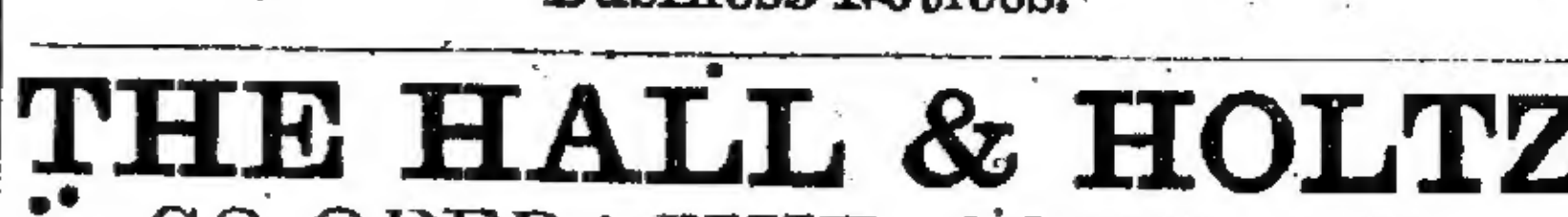
CHEMICALS, DRUGS, and MEDICINES, HAVE BEEN PREPARED and SELECTED by

Dakin Bros. of London, A FIRM ESTABLISHED, AND WHOSE NAME has been

A Guarantee, for nearly Three quarters of a century.

22 QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.
Hongkong, December 1, 1888. 9024

Business Notices.



THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Ex English, French and German Mails.

EVENING SILKS and SATINS.

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NEW DRESS MATERIALS for EVENING and WALKING GOWNES.

NOVELTIES by EACH INCOMING MAIL.

THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY LTD.
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Some has had Good Business experience in the Import, Export and Shipping-line in different parts of the world and is possessed of Very Good Certificates.

Please address:
MR. W. E. BARTEL,
Victoria Hotel Hongkong.
Hongkong, December 27, 1888. 2201

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS FAMILIES' ASSOCIATION.

FOR AIDING THE WIVES AND FAMILIES OF MEN OF ALL BRANCHES OF THE LAND AND SEA FORCES OF THE UNITED KINGDOM.

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN.
President.
H. R. H. THE PRINCESS OF WALES.

A BRANCH of this most useful and beneficial Association, now so widely extended over England and India, has been started in this Military Colony, under the name of THE HONGKONG AND STRAITS SETTLEMENTS SOLDIERS AND SAILORS FAMILIES' ASSOCIATION.

It is formed for the purpose of aiding the Wives and Families of men of all branches of H. M. Forces now serving or who shall hereafter serve in Hongkong or in the Straits Settlements, and of Co-operating generally with the Parent Association in England, by collecting funds and furnishing information about the families of soldiers and sailors serving here, who may need assistance at home.

The Association in Hongkong is under the management of a General Committee consisting of:—
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Mrs. BELL-IRVING, Vice-President.
Mrs. BROWN, Secretary.
Mrs. CHARTER, Treasurer.
Mrs. MACINTOSH, Secretary.
Mrs. NOBLE, Secretary.

With Mr. THOMAS JACKSON as Treasurer, and the undersigned as Honorary Secretary.

The following extract from the Rules is published for general information:—
5.—Any person being a member of the General or of any branch Committee or being an annual subscriber of not less than five dollars to the funds shall be a member of the Association.

6.—Any donor of not less than Fifty dollars and any person who shall have collected and paid to the funds of the Association a sum of not less than Three hundred dollars shall be a Life Member.

7.—Every Regiment or Ship which shall contribute a sum of not less than fifty dollars, and every Incumbent who may grant the use of his pulpit for a Sermon in aid of the Association, and from whom a like sum of not less than fifty dollars be received shall also be Members of the Association.

8.—Every Member of the Association shall have one vote at the Annual or any Special Meeting of the Association. A Regiment may vote by its Colonel and a Ship by its Captain or other Commanding Officer; or in either case by any Committee of the Association in Her Majesty's Army, or Navy, nominated in writing for the Regiment or Ship by the Colonel, Captain or other Commanding Officer.

9.—All annual subscriptions to the Association shall become due on the 1st day of January in each year, and shall be paid to the Treasurer or the Bankers of the Association; Members joining the Association after the 30th of September shall be considered as becoming subscribers from the 1st day of January following.

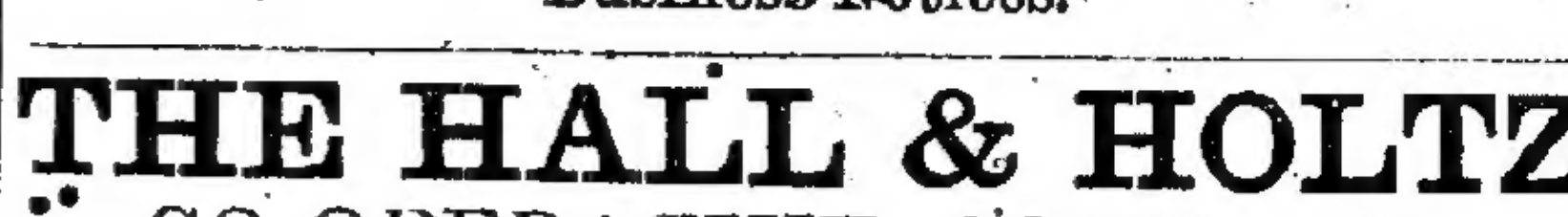
Life Members.
Lieutenant General CAMERON, O.B.
The NORTHAMPTONSHIRE REGIMENT.
Major CHURCHILL, Nova. REGIMENT.
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No. 7 " 1st Brig. W. " " "
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Copies of the Rules may be had on application to the Undersigned.

Subscriptions and Donations are earnestly requested.

For the GENERAL COMMITTEE,
JNO. J. FRANCES,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, November 14, 1888. 1016

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Mrs. NOBLE, Secretary.

THE CHINA MAIL.

Entertainments.

AL FRESCO FETE!

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TO-DAY (SATURDAY),
the 29th December, 1888.STALLS FOR THE SALE OF
MAGNIFICENT EMBROIDERIES AND
RARE CURIOS.WONDERFUL STUNTING
PHENIX,
newly captured.

THEATRE OF CHINESE TOMBERS.

GRILL ROOM.

Under the Personal Supervision of
Mr. THOMAS.

GRAND SURGICAL EXHIBITION.

Under the Direction of a French Medical
Celebrity.

SPORTING LION.

BRILLIANT ILLUMINATION.

THEATRE OF CHINESE TOMBERS.

MILITARY BAND.

(By Kind Permission of Colonel Anderson
and the Officers of the 68th Regt.)

CHINESE PRIZE HAND.

SPECIAL COMPANY OF CHINESE ACTORS.

FINE ART EXHIBITION.

Under the Direction of "THE LION."
CHANCELLOR and "LORD O."
MAGNIFICENT AND UNIQUE
COLLECTION.

GATES TO OPEN AT 5.30 P.M.

ENTRANCES: All the Garden Gates except
that in Garden Road (next to Kennedy
Road Nubia), which thoroughfare will
be closed to night of the Fete.

Price of Admission.

One Dollar (\$1).

Schools, Children, Soldiers and Sailors in
Uniform, Half Price.Tickets Now for Sale at Messrs KELLY
and WATSON & Messrs LAM, CHAMWONG &
Co's.

Hongkong, December 29, 1888. 2185

G. CHIARINI'S ROYAL

ITALIAN CIRCUS AND

MENAGERIE,

AT

BOWLINGTON.

Every Night,

At 8, commencing 9 p.m. sharp.

Saturdays, 2 Performances,

Doors open at 3, and commence at 3.30 p.m.

To-night,

29th December, 1888.

ANOTHER BRILLIANT CHANGE

NEW PROGRAMME

NEW SENSATIONAL ACTS.

NEW HORSES EDUCATED IN BOTH

SCHOOLS.

NEW COMIC AND LAUGHABLE

SCENES.

TO-NIGHT,

Mlle. LeBlonde, the dashing
and beautiful Equestrienne, will appear
in "THE ENGLISH BOUNDING JOCKEY,"
leaping from the ground upon the horse's
back without the assistance of the hands.
She is acknowledged "Pae Excellence" to
be superior to any Lady Rider in this
particular act.

TO-NIGHT,

Mr. GEORGE HARRISON will carry upon a
Barrebacked Horse, in different atti-
tudes the Youngest Equestrienne, Miss
CHARLOTTE ROWLANDS.

TO-NIGHT,

The side splitting scene of the
MONKEY RACES,
by Lampon Monkeys riding on Cosmopol-
itan Ponies.

TO-NIGHT,

THE PRINCE IN AN ENGLISH SCHOOL
OR
LES ENFANTS TERRIBLES
by all the Company, introducing Comic
Dance by the Girls and Boys.

GRAND REDUCTION OF PRICES!!

Boxes with 6 Chairs \$9.00

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Carpet Seats 0.50

Gallery 0.30

Children and Soldiers in uniform in the
Gallery, 20 Cents. To all other parts of
the house Half Price.L. MAYA,
Secretary.

Hongkong, December 29, 1888. 2189

Entertainments.

THEATRE ROYAL.

CITY HALL.

THE AMERICAN MUSICAL COMEDY

AND OPERA COMPANY.

Directors: Messrs. F. W. WILLARD
AND JOHN F. SHERIDAN.

THIS EVENING,

29th December, 1888.

Gilbert & Sullivan's Popular Comic Opera,

'THE MIKADO.'

OR

'THE TOWN OF TITIPU.'

CAST OF CHARACTERS.

The Mikado (Lord High Executioner of Titipu). Mr. A. Stutch.

His Son, disguised as a wandering minstrel, and in love with Yum-Yum. Mr. J. F. Sheridan.

Pooh-Bah (Lord High Everything Else). Mr. H. M. Inano.

Pish-Tush (a Noble Lord). Mr. W. Cripps.

Yum-Yum (the Mikado's daughter). Miss F. Morrison.

Pish-Shee (the Mikado's daughter). Miss G. Whitford.

Ko-Ko (Lord High Executioner of Titipu). Mr. J. F. Sheridan.

Ko-Ko's Son (Lord High Executioner of Titipu). Mr. H. M. Inano.

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FOR SHANGHAI.

The Steamship

Ningpo, Captain F. SUTCLIFF, will

be despatched for the

above Port on MONDAY, the 31st inst., at

4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSEN & Co.

Hongkong, December 29, 1888. 2217

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND

TAIWANFOO.

The Co's Steamship

Thales, Captain HESTER, will be

despatched for the above

Ports on TUESDAY, the 1st Proximo, at

Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LARPAIK & Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, December 29, 1888. 2211

INSURANCE HOLIDAY.

THE Undermentioned INSURANCE

OFFICES will be CLOSED for the

Transaction of Public Business on TUES-

DAY NEXT, the 1st January, 1889.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents, Canton Insurance Co., Ltd.;

General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.

N. J. EDE,

Secretary, Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd.

W. H. PERCIVAL,

Agent, North-China Insurance Co., Ltd.

W. H. RAY,

Secretary, China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd.

SAML J. GOWER,

Liquidator, Chinese Insurance Company, Ltd.,

(in Liquidation).

RUSSELL & Co.,

Agents, Yangtze Insurance Association, Ltd.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,

China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Agents, Singapore Insurance Company, Ltd.

JOHN ANDREW,

Agent, The Straits Insurance Co., Ltd.;

The Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.

Hongkong, December 29, 1888. 2220

1889 TIME TABLE. 1889

THE STEAM-LAUNCH COMPANY,

LIMITED.

KOWLOON FERRY.

ONE of the COMPANY'S LAUNCHES runs

daily as a FERRY BOAT between Ped-

der's Wharf and Kowloon Point at the fol-

lowing hours.

TIME TABLE.

LEAVES KOWLOON. LEAVES HONGKONG.

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12.40 P.M. 7.25 " 1.10 " 7.40 "

NIGHT SERVICE. NIGHT SERVICE.

8.30 P.M. 9.00 P.M.

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SCALE OF FARES.

DAY SERVICE.

For one adult... 10 Cents. \$2.00

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FOR NAGASAKI, YOKOHAMA

AND KOBE.

The Steamship

Stratheden, Captain

O. W. PHARSON, Com-

mandor, will be des-

patched for the above Ports on TUESDAY,

the 1st Proximo, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, December 29, 1888. 2214

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates

for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-

ORWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and

Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Co's Steamship

Stenor, Captain MURRAY, will be

despatched as above on

SATURDAY, the 5th January, 1889.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, December 29, 1888. 2215

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor

Owners will be Responsible for

any Debt contracted by the Officers or

Crew of the following Vessels, during

their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—

BYLOIA, German barque, Capt. Weiss-

Wielor & Co.

EMERALDA, British schooner, Capt. H.

Williams.—Order.

RAPHAEL, American ship, Captain E. W.

Harkness.—Order.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

December 29, 1888.—

Ching Yuen, Chinese iron frigate, 7,300,

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